

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	Case No. MJ08-201
v.)	
)	
BENNIE D. WASHINGTON,)	DETENTION ORDER
)	
Defendant.)	
_____)	

Offenses charged:

Count 1: Felon in Possession of a Firearm, in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1),
and 924(a)(2).

Date of Detention Hearing: May 5, 2008

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and
based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds
the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

- (1) Defendant has minimal ties to the community.
- (2) Defendant has a history of failures to appear.
- (3) Defendant has a history of failures to comply with Court Orders and supervision.
- (4) Defendant has no stable employment.

(5) According to the affidavit in support of the Complaint, when defendant was arrested, he had ammunition in his pocket, a fully loaded handgun within easy reach and easy access to stolen weapons.

(6) There appear to be no conditions or combination of conditions other than detention that will reasonably address the risk of flight and risk of danger to other persons or to the community.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;

(2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with counsel;

(3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

(4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States Pretrial Services Officer.

DATED this 5th day of May, 2008.



JAMES P. DONOHUE
United States Magistrate Judge